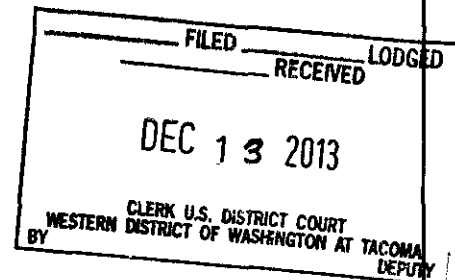


The Honorable Ronald B. Leighton



13-CV-05344-ORD



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

GERI HOELSCHER,  
Plaintiff,

v.

LUCAS BRANDON, a Washington  
State Patrol Trooper, in his individual  
and official capacity and JANE DOE  
BRANDON, and the marital  
community comprised thereof; JEFF  
KERSHAW, a Washington State Patrol  
Trooper, in his individual and official  
capacity and JANE DOE KERSHAW,  
and the marital community comprised  
thereof; RYAN SANTHUFF, a  
Washington State Patrol Trooper, in his  
individual and official capacity and  
JANE DOE SANTHUFF, and the  
marital community comprised thereof;  
ROBERT HOWSON, a Washington  
State Patrol Trooper, in his individual  
and official capacity and JANE DOE  
HOWSON, and the marital  
community comprised thereof;  
THOMAS MARTIN, a Washington  
State Patrol Trooper, in his individual  
and official capacity and JANE DOE  
MARTIN, and the marital community  
comprised thereof; WASHINGTON  
STATE PATROL and STATE OF  
WASHINGTON,

Defendants.

NO. 13-CV-05344 RBL

STIPULATION AND ORDER OF  
DISMISSAL

(Clerk's Action Required)

NOTED ON MOTION CALENDAR:

~~December 4, 2013~~

December 12, 2013

1 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between Plaintiff, Geri  
 2 Hoelscher, acting by and through John J. Kannin, Kannin Law Firm P.S., and the Defendants  
 3 State of Washington, Washington State Patrol, Lucas Brandon, in his individual and official  
 4 capacity and Jane Doe Brandon, and the marital community comprised thereof, Jeff Kershaw, a  
 5 Washington State Patrol Trooper, in his individual and official capacity and Jane Doe  
 6 Kershaw, and the marital community comprised thereof, Ryan Santhuff, a Washington State  
 7 Patrol Trooper, in his individual and official capacity and Jane Doe Santhuff, and the marital  
 8 community comprised thereof, Robert Howson, a Washington State Patrol Trooper, in his  
 9 individual and official capacity and Jane Doe Howson, and the marital community comprised  
 10 thereof, Thomas Martin, a Washington State Patrol Sergeant, in his individual and official  
 11 capacity, and Jane Doe Martin, and the marital community comprised thereof acting by and  
 12 through Robert W. Ferguson, Attorney General, and Steve Puz, Assistant Attorney General,  
 13 that Plaintiffs claims in her original and amended complaints in the above-entitled action may  
 14 be dismissed with prejudice and without costs or attorney's fees, this matter having been fully  
 15 settled and compromised between the Plaintiff and all Defendants. Further, all parties stipulate  
 16 and agree that Defendant Howson's counterclaim against Plaintiff Hoelscher shall be  
 17 dismissed with prejudice and without costs or attorney's fees. Further each party shall bear  
 18 their own costs and fees in conjunction with these claims.

19 DATED this <sup>12<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~3rd~~ day of December, 2013.

21 ROBERT W. FERGUSON  
 22 Attorney General

23 /s/ Steve Puz

24 STEVE PUZ, WSBA #17407  
 25 Assistant Attorney General  
 26 Attorneys for Defendant State of Washington

KANNIN LAW FIRM P.S.

/s/John Kannin

JOHN KANNIN LAW FIRM, WSBA #27315  
Attorney for Plaintiff

**ORDER**

THIS MATTER having come before the undersigned judge of the above-entitled Court, based on the foregoing stipulation, now, therefore,


IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's claims in her original and amended complaints in this action against the Defendants State of Washington, Washington State Patrol, Lucas Brandon, in his individual and official capacity and Jane Doe Brandon, and the marital community comprised thereof, Jeff Kershaw, a Washington State Patrol Trooper, in his individual and official capacity and Jane Doe Kershaw, and the marital community comprised thereof, Ryan Santhuff, a Washington State Patrol Trooper, in his individual and official capacity and Jane Doe Santhuff, and the marital community comprised thereof, Robert Howson, a Washington State Patrol Trooper, in his individual and official capacity and Jane Doe Howson, and the marital community comprised thereof, Thomas Martin, a Washington State Patrol Sergeant, in his individual and official capacity, and Jane Doe Martin, and the marital community comprised thereof are hereby dismissed with prejudice and the above entitled action shall be dismissed with prejudice and without an award of costs or attorney fees to any party.

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1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant Howson's counterclaim against Plaintiff  
2 Hoelscher is hereby dismissed with prejudice and without an award of costs or attorney's fees  
3 to any party.

4 DONE IN OPEN COURT this <sup>12<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~11<sup>th</sup>~~ day of December, 2013.

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7 JUDGE

9 presented by:

10 ROBERT W. FERGUSON  
11 Attorney General

Approved as to Form and  
Notice of Presentation Waived:

KANNIN LAW FIRM, P.S.

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13 /s/ Steve Puz

14 STEVE PUZ, WSBA 17407  
15 Assistant Attorney General  
16 Attorneys for Defendant

/s/John Kannin

17 JOHN J. KANNIN, WSBA #27315  
18 Attorneys for Plaintiff